GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH <u>ABSTRACT</u>

Public Services – Panchayat Raj & Rural Development Department – Allegations of Misutilization of Government funds under the guise of "Filling of Old wells with quarry rubbish" in Komarole Mandal, Prakasam District – Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Sri M.V. Sai Babu, the then Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Markapur (now retired) and five (5) others – Appointment of Sri A.K. Srivatsava, IPS (Retd.), Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration Department as Enquiry Officer and Sri P. Subrahmanya Sastry, Chief Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad as Presenting Officer, under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 – Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT (VIG.IA) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 153.

Dated:30-01-2013

Read the following:-

- General Administration (V&E) Dept., Vigilance Report No. 74 (1257/V&E/E2/2007-1), dt. 07.07.2010.
- 2. G.O.Rt.No.895, PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt. 24.05.2012.
- 3. G.O.Rt.No.896, PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt. 24.05.2012.
- 4. G.O.Rt.No.897, PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt. 24.05.2012.
- 5. G.O.Rt.No.898, PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt. 24.05.2012.
- 6. G.O.Rt.No.899, PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt. 24.05.2012.
- 7. G.O.Rt.No.900, PR&RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt. 24.05.2012.
- 8. Written Statement of Defence of Sri M.V.Sai Babu, SE (Retd.), O/o. the ENC, PR, Hyderabad, dt. 23.06.2012.
- 9. Written Statement of Defence of Sri A.V Subrahmanyam, EE, PIU (PR) Division, Ongole, Prakasam District, dt. 30.06.2012.
- 10. Written Statement of Defence of Sri B.Siva Rama Krishna, EE, PR, O/o. the ENC, PR, Hyderabad, dt.18.06.2012.
- 11. Written Statement of Defence of Sri D.V.Appa Rao, Dy.EE, PRI Sub- Division, Macherla, Guntur District, dt. 13.07.2012.
- 12. Written Statement of Defence of Sri P. Ganga Naik, formerly AEE, PR, Giddaluru, Prakasam District, dt. 21.06.2012.
- 13. From the ENC, PR, Hyderabad, Lr.No.Vig.II (3)/2302/2011, dt.07.11.2012.
- 14. G.O.Rt.No.152, PR & RD (Vig.IA) Dept., dt. 30.01.2013.

ORDER:

In the references 2nd to 7th read above, charges were framed under Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 against the following Six (6) Engineering Personnel, on the allegations of mis-utilization of Government funds under the guise of "Filling of Old wells with quarry rubbish" in Komarole Mandal, Prakasam District.

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- (1) M.V.Sai Babu, the then Executive Engineer (now retired)
- (2) A.V.Subrahmanyam, the then Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Markapur, presently working as Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Ongole,
- (3) B.Siva Rama Krishna, the then Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Markapur, presently working as Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Ongole,
- (4) D.V.Appa Rao, the then Deputy Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Giddalur, presently working as P.A. to Superintending Engineer, O/o Superintending Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Guntur,
- (5) P. Ganga Naik, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Giddalur, presently working as Assistant Executive Engineer, Mandal Parishad, Repalle; and
- (6) T.Subrahmanyam, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Giddalur

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- 2. In response to the above charges, all the charged officers have submitted their written statements of defence, vide references 8th to 12th read above, except Sri T.Subrahmanyam, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Giddalur.
- 3. After examining the written statements of defence submitted by the charged officers, Government have decided to conduct regular enquiry against all the Six (6) charged officers mentioned at para 1 above, under Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991.
- 4. Accordingly Government hereby appoint Sri A.K. Srivatsava, IPS (Retd.), Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration Department as Enquiry Officer under Rule 20(2) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 to conduct common enquiry against the above Six (6) charged officers.
- 5. Consequently, Sri P.Subrahmanya Sastry, Chief Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad is hereby appointed as Presenting Officer to present the case before the Enquiry Officer, under Rule 20(5)(c) of A.P.Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991.
- 6. The Presenting Officer shall acquaint himself with the facts of the case and present the case before the Enquiry Officer effectively. He is also requested to obtain and produce documents, if any, required by the Enquiry Officer, during the course of enquiry.
- 7. The Enquiry Officer is requested to conduct enquiry strictly in terms of Rule 20 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 and submit his report as required under sub-rule 18(ii) of the above said Rule. Copies of the charge Memos issued to the Delinquent Officers and the Written Statements of Defence submitted by them are herewith furnished to the Enquiry Officer as required under Rule 20 (7) of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

V. NAGI REDDY PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (PR)

То

Sri A.K. Srivatsava, IPS (Retd.), Commissioner of Inquiries, General Administration Department & Enquiry Officer (w.e.)

Sri P. Subrahmanya Sastry, Chief Engineer, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad & Presenting Officer (w.e.)

Copy to:

The individuals concerned through the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.

The Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, Hyderabad.

The G.A.(V&E) Department.

(Vigilance Report No.74 (1257/V&E/E2/2007-1, dt.07.07.2010)

The Secretary to VC, APVC, Hyderabad.

The G.A.(COI.R) Dept.

The PR&RD (Estt.I/Estt.III) Dept., for information.

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SECTION OFFICER